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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: STATUS OF SIA APPLICATION

REF: SINGAPORE 2403

1. SINGAPORE AIRLINES (SIA) APPLICATION IS NOW BEFORE CAB BOARD. BECAUSE OF POSSIBILITY OF ORAL ARGUMENTS AND OTHER COMPLICATIONS, IT IS DIFFICULT TO ESTIMATE WHEN BOARD WILL SEND ITS RECOMMENDATION TO PRESIDENT. IT MAY BE UNREALISTIC TO EXPECT BOARD DECISION BEFORE END OF SUMMER. INDUSTRY REPORTS SIA NOW PLANS TO INITIATE PASSENGER SERVICE TO US IN 1979.

2. BOTH DEPARTMENT AND CAB'S BUREAU OF INTERNATIONAL AVIATION FILED STATEMENTS OPPOSING CONDITIONING OF SIA PERMIT AS RECOMMENDED BY ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE.

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DEPARTMENT'S STATEMENT NOTED THAT PROPOSED CONDITION WAS NOT REFLECTED IN AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT AND THAT "EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION OF ARTICLE 11(D) WOULD BE SOUGHT THROUGH BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS IF AND WHEN THERE APPEARS TO BE A VIOLATION. IF SUCH CONSULTATIONS FAILED

TO ATTAIN THE DESIRED RESULTS, ADEQUATE REMEDIES UNDER

PART 213 OF THE BOARD'S ECONOMIC REGULATIONS WOULD EXIST. THE DEPARTMENT BELIEVES THAT IT IS GENERALLY UNDESIRABLE TO INCLUDE CONDITIONS IN PERMITS RELATING TO ONE OR MORE SPECIFIC QUESTIONS WHEN A GENERAL REMEDY IS ALREADY AVAILABLE." COPY OF DEPARTMENT'S STATEMENT IS BEING AIR POUCHED TO EMBASSY.

3. FYI. REGARDING PARA 4, REFTEL, FTL HOME OFFICE'S "FERVOR" TO SECURE SELF-HANDLING RIGHTS IS MADE EMPHATICALLY CLEAR IN ITS STATEMENTS TO CAB AND CONTACTS WITH DEPARTMENT. FTL STATES SELF-HANDLING IS ESSENTIAL TO ITS OPERATION TO SINGAPORE. FTL HOME OFFICE REP INDICATED HE WOULD ENSURE SINGAPORE REP WAS BRIEFED RE COMPANY POLICY ON THIS ISSUE. END FYI. CHRISTOPHER

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